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APPLICANT'S COMMENTS ON REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

These comments are responsive to the Notice of Allowability mailed on August 8, 2007,
which sets forth the Examiner's statement of reasons for allowance.

Applicant gratefully acknowledges the indication of allowance of Claims 1-26 and 40-52.
Applicant respectfully urges that additional and/or alternative reasons for allowance may exist
apart from the arguments or remarks made by the Examiner and/or the Applicant during the
prosecution of the above captioned case and thus are not limited to those statements. These
reasons may each be independently sufficient to establish the patentability of one or more of
Claims 1-26 and 40-52.

Applicant respectfully reserves the right to introduce, articulate, or otherwise comment on any such additional reasons for allowance as may be appropriate in any future proceedings concerning the one or more claimed embodiments.

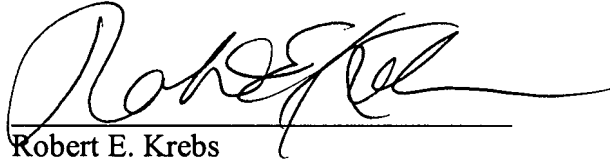
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